

In re Patent Application of:

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REMARKS

Claims 10-18, 28, 30, and 32-37 remain in this application. Claims 1-9, 19-27, 29 and 31 have been cancelled. New Claim 38 has been added. Claim 28 has been amended.

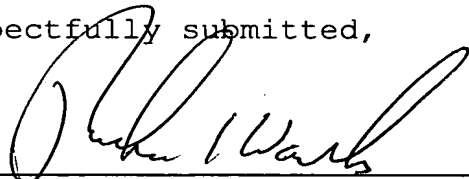
Applicants have filed this divisional case with original Claims 10-18, 28, 30 and 32-37 that were restricted in the parent application Serial No. 09/915,762. Also, new Claim 38 is added with this Preliminary Amendment.

This divisional application is directed to specie II relative to FIG. 4A, showing a thin film metallization layer positioned on the capacitor carrier.

The Information Disclosure Statement listing the patent references cited in the parent case is also enclosed.

Applicants contend that the present case is in condition for allowance and respectfully requests that the Examiner issue a Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due. If the Examiner has any questions concerning this Preliminary Amendment, the undersigned attorney would appreciate a telephone call.

Respectfully submitted,



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